



BISHOPVILLE PRIMARY

603 Dennis Avenue
Bishopville, South Carolina

Grades	PK-3 Elementary School	
Enrollment	496 Students	
Principal	Lei F. Washington	803-484-9475
Superintendent	Dr. Cleo Richardson	803-484-5327
Board Chair	Sanya Moses	803-428-5603

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2010 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2010	Below Average	Average
2009	At-Risk	At-Risk
2008	At-Risk	At-Risk
2007	Below Average	Below Average
2006	Below Average	Excellent

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE GOAL

By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Percent of Student PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

Percent of students tested in 2009-10 whose 2008-09 test scores were located

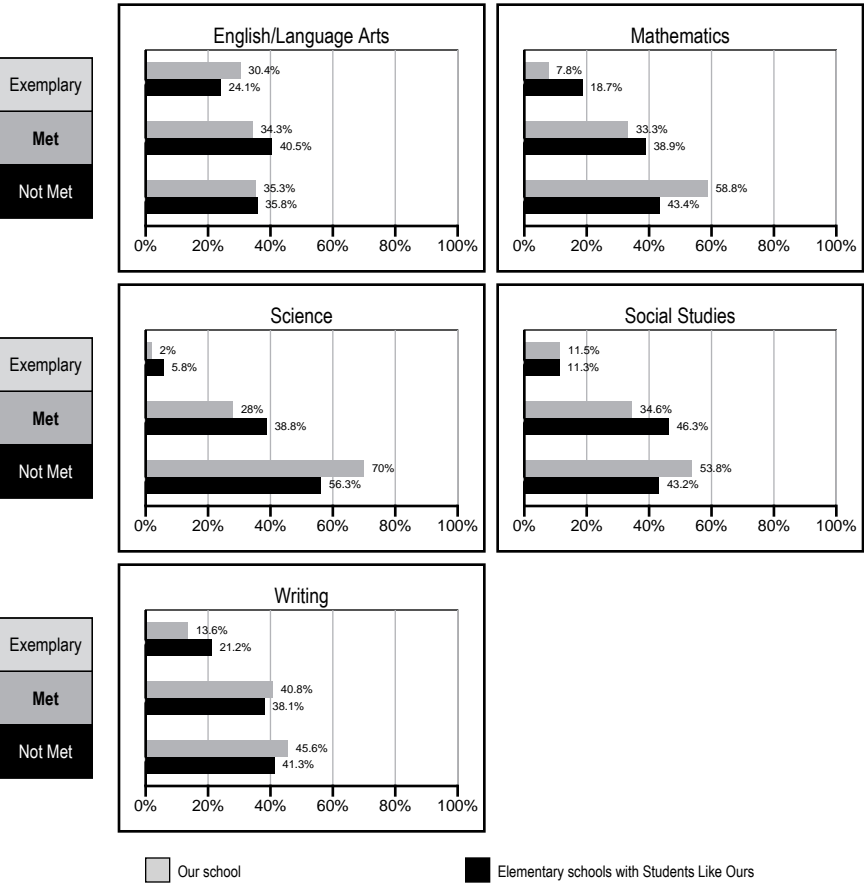
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ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
0	3	60	49	21

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/09/2011.

Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)



* Elementary schools with Students Like Ours are elementary schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Definition of Critical Terms

Exemplary	"Exemplary" means the student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.
Met	"Met" means the student met the grade level standard.
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

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School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=496)				
First graders who attended full-day kindergarten	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%
Retention rate	3.9%	Down from 6.9%	1.5%	1.2%
Attendance rate	96.4%	Up from 94.0%	95.9%	96.1%
Eligible for gifted and talented	0.0%	Down from 0.8%	4.1%	11.7%
With disabilities other than speech	7.0%	Up from 6.4%	8.5%	8.0%
Older than usual for grade	1.3%	Down from 1.4%	0.8%	0.4%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	Down from 0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=37)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	59.5%	Up from 46.2%	59.0%	60.5%
Continuing contract teachers	78.4%	Up from 71.8%	78.4%	84.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	9.1%	Up from 5.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	88.1%	Up from 87.4%	82.5%	87.0%
Teacher attendance rate	91.4%	Up from 90.4%	95.3%	95.4%
Average teacher salary*	\$42,466	Down 1.2%	\$45,256	\$47,288
Professional development days/teacher	8.7 days	Up from 6.2 days	10.6 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	2.0	Up from 1.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	24.1 to 1	Up from 19.9 to 1	17.2 to 1	19.2 to 1
Prime instructional time	86.4%	Up from 83.3%	90.6%	90.8%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 98.6%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Average	Down from Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,482	Down 1.1%	\$8,890	\$7,548
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	71.5%	Down from 72.2%	67.9%	68.7%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	68.7%	Down from 69.0%	62.2%	65.1%

* Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

At Bishopville Primary School, we are committed to being a school where “children are the heart” and “their failure is not an option.” Our faculty and staff work diligently to ensure that each child is prepared for the future through a positive, safe learning environment. Preschool students participate in a Language and Literacy program. This curriculum integrates Phonics, Early-In Literacy Centers, and Arts integration with Creative Curriculum. Over 80% of the preschool students were reading on a First Grade Level. Preschool and Kindergarten students received instruction through the Creative Curriculum model. First-grade students participated in the Renaissance Learning STAR Reading and the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP). First-grade students also receive instruction utilizing the Project Read curriculum. Second-grade students participated in Project Read and were administered The Flannagan Benchmark quarterly. They also completed the Measure of Academic Progress. The Save the Children Program provided in school Tutoring for students in grades 5K through 2 in the content area of literacy. A \$160,000 grant from the Save the Children foundation provides other educational supplemental services such as: After-School Literacy Instruction for students in 5K through 2nd grade, Summer Literacy Program for students in 5K through 2nd grade, and In-School Literacy Remediation and Enrichment Small Group Instruction. Third-grade students participated in a 21st Century After-School Program which enabled our students to grow academically, socially, and physically. The after-school program was supported through the Teacher Cadet program, where high school students tutored daily, one-on-one, or in small groups. Additionally, Bishopville Primary implemented a Response to Intervention program. A Project Read partnership enabled our school to obtain a Project Read teacher for all students (grades 1-3). 5K through third grade teachers received two days of professional development as well as all Project Read materials needed to provide the reading instruction for our children. All grade levels received staff development and used the new Approved Curriculum Guides. Annually, Bishopville Primary holds a Community Stakeholder meeting designed to involve parents and community in the School Improvement annual assessment and planning. Each spring, student art work is displayed at the Lee County Opera House during the month of April. First grade through 3rd-grade students received hands-on experience with weekly visits to the Project Read lab and field trips that provided our children with real-world experiences. These trips included Riverbanks Zoo, The Topiary Gardens, and The Local Nature Trail at a Local Park. New technology purchased by our District this year included several SmartBoards and desktop computers for use in the classroom. Committed to preparing confident, competent, and responsible students, character education is integrated daily. Our school and community participated in several service learning projects to help promote good character. Business partners such as Food Lion sponsored community based curriculum nights, the Lee County 4-H Club sponsored a visiting Character Education consultant that assisted us with promoting good character. Staff members were provided opportunities to participate in staff development to improve instruction and assessment to include: MAP and PASS data analysis, Math Manipulatives, Differentiation, and Small Group. Parents and community members were frequent and welcomed guests at our school via programs such as: Read Across America Day, Honors Programs, Movie with Mom Night and Dinner with Dad, and Family Nights.

Jakki Bonner, School Improvement Chair

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	32	102	15
Percent satisfied with learning environment	81.3%	90.8%	78.6%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	81.3%	82.3%	80.0%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	45.2%	86.3%	80.0%

* Only students at the highest elementary school grade level and their parents were included.

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School Adequate Yearly Progress	YES
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This school met 13 out of 13 objectives. The objectives included student performance, graduation rate or student attendance, and participation in the state testing program.

Definition: As required by the United States Department of Education, Adequate Yearly Progress specifies that the statewide target is met for "All Students" and for the following subgroups: Racial/Ethnic, Subsidized Meals, Disability, and Limited English Proficiency in the areas of English/Language Arts and Mathematics, as well as meeting the statewide target for "All Students" for attendance or graduation rate.

School Improvement Status	CSI-DELAY
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School Improvement Key	
NI	Newly Identified-The school missed adequate yearly progress (AYP) for two years. Sanction: Offer school choice.
CSI	Continuing School Improvement-The school missed AYP for three years. Sanctions: Continue school choice and implement supplemental services.
CA	Corrective Action-The school missed AYP for four years. Sanction: Continue school choice and supplemental services. The school district takes a corrective action.
RP	Plan to Restructure-Sanctions: Continue school choice and supplemental services. Develop a plan to restructure. If the school misses AYP the next year, the school implements the restructuring plan.
R	Restructure-The school missed AYP after two years of corrective action. Sanctions: Implement the restructuring plan. Continue school choice and supplemental services.
DELAY	The school met AYP in all subgroups and the indicator for one year, thus the delay provision applies. The school remains in the same status as last year and is referred to as in "Delay."
HOLD	The school made progress for one year in the subject area that identified the school for school improvement. The school remains in the same status as last year and is referred to as in "Hold."

Teacher Quality and Student Attendance

	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	N/A	1.9%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	11.7%	5.6%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	13.9%	0.0%	No
Student attendance rate	96.4%	94.0%*	Yes

* Or greater than last year

PASS Performance By Group

	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	School % Met or Exemplary*	District % Met or Exemplary*	State % Met or Exemplary*	Performance Objective Met	Participation Objective Met
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English/Language Arts - State Performance Objective = 58.8% (Met or Exemplary)

All Students	112	86.6	35.3	34.3	30.4	77.5	59.6	83.5	Yes	Yes
Gender										
Male	53	88.7	40.4	31.9	27.7	74.5	53.7	80.1	N/A	N/A
Female	59	84.8	30.9	36.4	32.7	80	65.1	87	N/A	N/A
Racial/Ethnic Group										
White	5	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	66	89.6	I/S	I/S
African American	104	86.5	36.5	34.4	29.2	77.1	59	74.6	Yes	Yes
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	92.7	I/S	I/S
Hispanic	3	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	78.6	79.6	I/S	I/S
American Indian/Alaskan	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	85.1	I/S	I/S
Disability Status										
Disabled	26	42.3	76	20	4	40	29.4	51.7	I/S	I/S
Migrant Status										
Migrant	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.5	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency										
Limited English Proficient	2	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	84.6	79	I/S	I/S
Socio-Economic Status										
Subsidized meals	104	85.6	34.4	34.4	31.3	77.1	58.6	76.9	Yes	Yes

Mathematics - State Performance Objective = 57.8% (Met or Exemplary)

All Students	112	99.1	58.4	33.7	7.9	55.4	50.2	80.4	Yes	Yes
Gender										
Male	53	98.1	54.3	32.6	13	58.7	47.6	78.4	N/A	N/A
Female	59	100	61.8	34.5	3.6	52.7	52.7	82.5	N/A	N/A
Racial/Ethnic Group										
White	5	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	58.7	87.8	I/S	I/S
African American	104	99	60	34.7	5.3	54.7	49.6	69.3	Yes	Yes
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	93.5	I/S	I/S
Hispanic	3	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	64.3	78.3	I/S	I/S
American Indian/Alaskan	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	83.2	I/S	I/S
Disability Status										
Disabled	26	100	80	16	4	28	16.4	46.1	I/S	I/S
Migrant Status										
Migrant	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	71.4	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency										
Limited English Proficient	2	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	69.2	78.9	I/S	I/S
Socio-Economic Status										
Subsidized meals	104	99	57.9	33.7	8.4	56.8	49.4	72.8	Yes	Yes

* Adjusted to account for natural variation in performance.

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PASS Performance By Group

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Science

All Students	54	94.4	68.1	29.8	2.1	31.9	30.2	67.3
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Gender

Male	24	95.8	N/A	N/A	N/A	40	30.2	66.9
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Female	30	93.3	74.1	22.2	3.7	25.9	30.3	67.7
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Racial/Ethnic Group

White	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	52	79.6
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African American	54	94.4	68.1	29.8	2.1	31.9	29.1	49.7
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Asian/Pacific Islander	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	84.4
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Hispanic	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	59.4
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American Indian/Alaskan	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.5
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Disability Status

Disabled	11	100	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	9.6	33.8
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Migrant Status

Migrant	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	36.5
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English Proficiency

Limited English Proficient	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	58.6
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Socio-Economic Status

Subsidized meals	50	94	65.9	31.8	2.3	34.1	29.1	55.4
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Social Studies

All Students	58	100	53.8	34.6	11.5	46.2	36.8	70.9
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Gender

Male	29	100	53.8	34.6	11.5	46.2	33.9	70.1
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Female	29	100	53.8	34.6	11.5	46.2	39.5	71.7
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Racial/Ethnic Group

White	5	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	44.7	79.2
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African American	50	100	58.7	34.8	6.5	41.3	35.6	58.4
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Asian/Pacific Islander	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	86.8
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Hispanic	3	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	75	68
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American Indian/Alaskan	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	71.2
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Disability Status

Disabled	15	100	N/A	N/A	N/A	26.7	11.8	39.3
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Migrant Status

Migrant	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	55
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English Proficiency

Limited English Proficient	2	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	72.7	68
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Socio-Economic Status

Subsidized meals	54	100	55.1	32.7	12.2	44.9	35.8	60.8
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PASS Performance By Group

	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	School % Met or Exemplary	District % Met or Exemplary	State % Met or Exemplary	School Attendance Rate	District Attendance Rate
Writing										
All Students	111	99.1	45.6	40.8	13.6	54.4	48.5	72.1	96.4	96.3
Gender										
Male	51	100	53.2	38.3	8.5	46.8	40.7	65.2	96.4	95.9
Female	60	98.3	39.3	42.9	17.9	60.7	55.7	79.2	96.4	96.6
Racial/Ethnic Group										
White	4	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	56.3	80.8	96.2	95.4
African American	103	100	46.4	41.2	12.4	53.6	47.8	59.7	96.4	96.3
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	87	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	3	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	69.2	64.6	97.3	96.4
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	73.4	99.9	99.9
Disability Status										
Disabled	26	100	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	32	12.9	27.7	96.3	95.9
Migrant Status										
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	63.5	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency										
Limited English Proficient	2	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	75	63.7	98.2	96.7
Socio-Economic Status										
Subsidized meals	105	99.1	44.3	41.2	14.4	55.7	47.5	61.9	96.4	96.2

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PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
English/Language Arts							
2009	3	117	100	46.9	31.9	21.2	53.1
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2010	3	112	86.6	35.3	34.3	30.4	64.7
	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics							
2009	3	117	100	65.5	24.8	9.7	34.5
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2010	3	112	99.1	58.4	33.7	7.9	41.6
	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Science							
2009	3	59	98.3	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	36.4
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2010	3	54	94.4	68.1	29.8	2.1	31.9
	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
Social Studies							
2009	3	58	100	68.4	28.1	3.5	31.6
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2010	3	58	100	53.8	34.6	11.5	46.2
	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Writing							
2009	3	119	100	56.5	25.2	18.3	43.5
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2010	3	111	99.1	45.6	40.8	13.6	54.4
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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